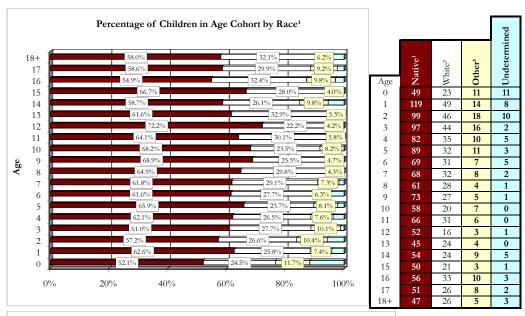
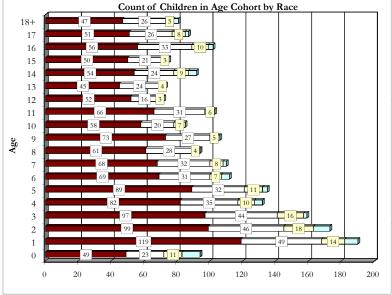
Statistical Information Out of Home Placement

## All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement for the month of March, 2010, by Race and Age





Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment.

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Data in this report is as of April 1, 2010. Subsequent reports with the same date parameter will contain up-dated statistics.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Native is any mention of Alaska Native or American Indian.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> White is White only, excluding all other races.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Other includes any mention of Asian, Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, or Black/African American.